Year	India's share in world exports
1970	0.6%
1975	0.5%
1980	0.4%
1985	0.5%
1990	0.5%
1995	0.6%
1996	0.6%
1997	0.6%

The question however seems to refer to the data compiled by Centre for Monitoring Indian Economy (CMIE). The decline in India's share during the period can be attributed *inter alia* to the economic policies emphasizing import substitution and self sufficiency.

(c) and (d) India's export growth rate during 1997-98 was 9.5%, during 1998-99 was 7.4%, 1999-2000 was 14.17% and was 26.93% in 2000-2001 (in rupee terms). Similarly, the growth rate of imports during this period was 11% in 1997-98, 14.2% in 1998-1999, 13.6% in 1999-2000 and 5.59% in 2000-2001 (in rupee terms). As can be seen, the removal of import restrictions has not seriously affected the growth rate of imports. The Directorate of Anti-Dumping & allied Duties (DGAD), takes prompt and effective action against complaints of dumping. The export performance is reviewed from time to time and various policy initiatives are announced in the Exim policy from time to time.

Foreign direct investment

†980. DR. MAHESH CHANDRA SHARMA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the amount to Foreign Direct Investment made in India from 1999 to 2001;

(b) the total amount of this investment made in consumer

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.

market area and the amount of this investment made in infrastructural area;

(c) the amount of Foreign Direct Investment made through share market during this period; and

(d) the amount of Foreign Direct Investment expected to be made in 2001-2002?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (DR. RAMAN): (a) to (c) A total number of 4244 Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) proposals involving FDI of Rs. 78153.78 crore have been approved in all sectors during the period from 1.1.99 to 31.5.2001, which include consumer and infrastructure sectors. Investment through the share market mainly pertains to portfolio investment and not FDI.

(d) FDI inflows during 1999 and 2000 were Rs. 16,867.79 crore and Rs. 19,341.74 crore respectively. During the first 5 months of 2001, inflows to the tune of Rs. 6,747.94 crore have been received. On the basis of trend analysis, it is expected that inflows during 2001 will be higher than that received in the year 2000.

Telecom services in Tripura

98 . SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have drawn up a time-bound Action Plan to improve and strengthen telecom services in Tripura;

(b) whether internet services have been extended to all the Districts and the Sub-Divisional Headquarters of Tripura, if not, by when this work is likely to be completed; and

(c) by when, the Cellular Mobile Phone Service and paging service is likely to be extended to Agartala?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Internet Services have been extended to all the District Headquarters and Sub-Divisional Headquarters of Tripura.

(c) Extension of Cellular Mobile Phone Service and Paging